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REVISED AMENDMENT

Box Non-Fee Amendment
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 23 December 2002, applicants submit this revised Amendment which corrects matters of form by providing clean replacement paragraphs and marked-up version of amended text to show changes made.

In response to the Office Action mailed 30 August 2002, please amend this application as follows:

RE THE DECLARATION:

With their Amendment of 2 December 2002 (which this Amendment is intended to revise), Applicants submitted a replacement Declaration and Power of Attorney with a signature page executed by applicant Kareemi, in which this applicant ratified the handwritten changes made by him when he executed the original Declaration. It was the handwritten changes made by applicant Kareemi that caused the Examiner to object to his execution of the original Declaration.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

With respect to the text added by way of Preliminary Amendment of 15 June 2000, please amend the first through sixth paragraphs beginning at page 2, line 1 and concluding at page 3, line 2 thereof to read as follows:

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U.S. Patent Application No. 09/588,264, entitled, "Obtaining a Signature Using a Markup Language," filed June 5, 2000, naming J.